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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 09/506,434 Confirmation No.: 8248
Applicant : Acharya et. al.
Filed : February 18, 2000
Title : System and Method For Electronic Deposit of Third-Party Checks By
Non-Commercial Banking Customers From Remote Locations
TC/Art Unit : 3624
Examiner: : E. Colbert
Docket No. : 47004.000059
Customer No. : 21967

**CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)**

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants in good faith believe that the above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to an Office Action dated September 20, 2005 by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Since Applicants have not received a formal Notice of Abandonment, this Petition is conditional upon the actual occurrence of abandonment. It is believed that the date of abandonment would have been the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office Action plus an extension of time actually obtained, or March 31, 2006.

Applicants respectfully petition for revival of the above-identified patent application. In order to obtain a grantable petition, Applicants are submitting the required items which are listed below.

- 1) Petition Fee in the amount of \$1500.00 as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m);

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2) A concurrently filed Amendment and Response to the Office Action and a fee and request for a three month extension of time, a copy of which is attached; and

3) STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of Hunton & Williams, Deposit Account Number 50-0206.

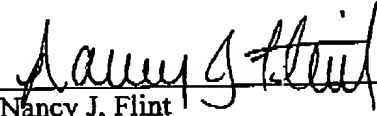
Respectfully submitted,

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